

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Patrick R. Buckley et al	Docket No. :	IL-11255
Serial No. :	10/810,422	Art Unit :	1793
Filed :	03/26/2004	Examiner :	John P. Sheehan
For :	SHAPE MEMORY SYSTEM WITH INTEGRATED ACTUATION USING EMBEDDED PARTICLES		

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action mailed November 14, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows: